

Railway Work Being Pushed On Rosemary Line

Construction of "Y" in New Table Way

ROSEMARY, Aug. 11.—Railroad people are being made in the grading of the railroad going north from Rosemary. About fifty head of horses and about twenty men are hard at work on the "Y" which will soon be completed, and about the same number are working on the main grade.

Harvest operations will soon be in full swing now. The grain is turning fast owing to the dry, hot weather.

The baseball game played last Sunday between Rosemary and Duchess proved fast for Rosemary. The score was 11-4 in favor of Duchess.

Miss Beatrice Downs is enjoying a two weeks' vacation with her folks.

A number of the young folks attended the dance held at Countess last Tuesday.

I. Davies and W. Davies, and Mrs. Navilla, of Claresholm, enjoyed a pleasant visit with their sister, Mrs. E. Davies, last week.

Jack Conn, of Medicine Hat, is visiting his brother, L. Conn.

Chas. Wilson, of Bassano is painting the house of H. Wilson, local watermaster.

The C. P. R. surveyors moved their camp about ten miles north of Rosemary on Tuesday.

L. D. Nesbitt Talks On Pool Topics

BERTWY, Alta., Aug. 10.—Aaron Nesbitt, co-operative marketing agent, was paid \$1000 for the part which he took in organizing the Alberta Pool, L. D. Nesbitt, publicity director of the Alberta Wheat Pool, told a gathering of Pool farmers here.

The statement was made in reply to an inquiry as to whether Nesbitt, who is engaged in working in Medicine Hat, was now in the employ of the Alberta Pool.

Mr. Nesbitt reviewed the inaugural meeting of the Pool re-organizing campaign which was launched in Calgary last spring. Particular stress was laid on the fact that John I. Macfarland, former employee of the Alberta Farmers Grain Company, along with Hon. R. B. Bennett who was vice-president of the organization before it was sold to the present company by Spillars, was on the platform supporting the Pool's plea for membership. He also quoted Sir John A. Macfarland, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, as being a strong advocate of the pool.

Mr. Nesbitt said the Pool is now the greatest private organization in the Dominion, and since its formation had handled over \$600,000,000 of the farmers' money. In discussing prices, the Pool's publicity man said that while the price of wheat had increased by cents a bushel in 1935 the price of bread had remained at the same level.

Speaking of terminal grain elevators he claimed that all the profit in the grain business was made in the terminal department. Nesbitt reviewed the Pool's failure to get a lease on No. 1 elevator at Vancouver which had led to its desire to own an elevator at a cost of more than \$2,000,000.

Replying to an enquiry concerning the return of the two cents per bushel which the pool deducts from its returns paid to pool farmers, the speaker said that this would be paid from surplus profits of the pool or from money which would be taken

Gem News

GRIM, Aug. 10.—G. McPherson will break his summer crop of eggs on Monday next, August 15 and will sell seed right from the machine this crop is No. 1 grade and is the result of saving time on dry land, great results, no weeds.

Rev. Leacock of Bassano recently spent a few days in this colony, the guest of Mrs. E. Small.

Mrs. P. Miller is in charge of the Redcliffe farm during the absence of H. Redcliffe and family.

Good news from Seattle in reference to young Jack Redcliffe, simply a matter of time and Jack will be himself once more.

Our postmaster and family with the H. Redcliffe and Leacock family enjoyed a fishing trip to Lake Newell with good results, bringing home lots of fresh fish.

W. and W. Pollock played baseball with the Rosemary boys on Sunday last. P. Miller accompanied them to Rosemary.

An enjoyable game is anticipated by many on Sunday next when the Gem boys and girls hope to play the boys and girls of Rosemary.

A. Selfridge with Mr. and Mrs. Pollock are expected to return during this coming week-end. This game has had an enjoyable time visiting friends in Portland and Seattle.

Religious services are held twice every Sunday, morning and evening in the Gem school. Rev. Thompson and Rev. Goff officiating.

Results of the high school examinations are to hand. Leland Pollock has the distinction of passing his grade with honors, also passing in an extra subject in the 10th grade.

Hope there are others who have not yet reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson spent a pleasant Saturday with Mrs. Miller, our local telephone operator.

Mrs. E. Small had the pleasure of a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Angell and family on Sunday.

Mr. P. Kumble who has been suffering from an infected toe is able to be around again.

Grade Eight Pupils Nearly All Succeeding

Nineteen Out of Nineteen Pass Departmental Examinations

A splendid record was achieved by the Grade Eight pupils of Bassano school, when eighteen out of a class of nineteen were successful in passing the June departmental examinations.

The list of successful pupils follows: Ralph Armstrong, Burton Ford, Billie French, Winifred Hancock, Gilbert Howard, Katherine Hester, Myrtle Jackson, Perry Johnson, Mae Johnson, Lloyd Leonard, Maurice McDermid, Harold Olson, Harold Torgan, James Weaver, Stanley Wright, Harold Woodward, Mildred Warner, and Jessie Vule.

This class was under the tuition of Mrs. E. J. Bell, and has been doing very good work during the school term.

From new members coming in. As yet, no definite decision had been made on how the pool was going to return it.

Discussing the acreage shown to wheat in the prairie provinces this year, he stated that the wheat acreage this year is only 17,000,000.

The appointment of a committee was left in the hands of the executive. H. O. Brodin said that the co-operation of the citizens would greatly help in the work of grain destruction.

Reporting for the carnival committee, H. W. Ford gave out the information that on sports day the net profit of the committee was \$45.32.

Speaking on behalf of the fair grounds trustees, H. O. Brodin said that their secretary, S. K. Picken was absent from town, and that no figures could be given at present.

A. T. Connolly suggested that the Board investigate the feasibility of finding a suitable outlet on the Bow River and providing a road there to be used for a winter crossing when the river freezes over. The matter was handed over to the public affairs committee.

Geo. Travis requested that another member be added to the swimming pool committee, and H. O. Angell was elected to this position.

Pres. P. F. Currie compiled the check and states members were present at the meeting.

Hundreds Attend Church Supper At Hussar

People of Hussar, Standard, and Chancellor Gathered for Supper and Entertainment in Community Hall

HUSSAR, Aug. 10.—The Standard, Chancellor, and Hussar congregational supper held in Hussar last night was a decided success. Five long tables, laden with food and decorated with vases of beautiful flowers, were arranged in Hussar's commodious Community Hall.

Two hundred and eighty people enjoyed the delicious supper and listened to a splendid program. Rev. Barton, in his humorous manner, acted as toast master, and after-dinner speeches were given by Mr. Dahl, of Hussar, Mr. Thompson, of Standard, Mrs. Thompson, of Standard, and Mrs. Williams, of Hussar.

Mrs. E. J. Bell delivered the address of the evening. She spoke of the importance of the church in the community, and of the need for a more active participation in church life.

The evening's entertainment consisted of a variety of songs and plays. The Hussar choir gave a fine performance.

The supper was a great success, and the community hall was crowded to capacity. The proceeds of the evening will be used for the purchase of new furniture for the hall.

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Buckley Talks On U. F. A. Work At Convention

Chief, Interesting Address to Bow Valley Constituency U. F. A. Association Delegates

J. C. Buckley, M. L. A. for Glenora, talked for more than two hours to an interested gathering of delegates at the annual convention of the Bow Valley Constituency U. F. A. Association held in the U. F. A. Hall, Bassano, last Friday, Aug. 6th.

Buckley told of the early beginnings of the united farmers' movement in Alberta, the difficulties met and overcome, the growth and spread of the organization, the entrance into politics, and the strength of the U. F. A. today.

The member from Glenora told of the noble ideals of the U. F. A., and the splendid spirit of the organization, to take a prominent place in the progress of the province.

He spoke of the importance of the election of officers, and the need for a more active participation in the work of the organization.

The election of officers resulted in a return for another term, of the last year officers. The names are: Pres.—J. M. Wheatley, Chancellor—J. C. Buckley, Sec.—Wm. Sheldrake, and Treas.—Earl Johnson.

Two resolutions pertaining to the election of officers were passed at the meeting. The resolutions were presented by the Bassano local, and read:

"Whereas there is no tax book in use at present, in agriculture, and whereas this means too much time wasted by both teacher and pupil in note taking, and also prevents uniformity in presentation of the subject throughout the province, be resolved that the Department of Education be requested to provide a suitable textbook to cover the course in Grade 8, and also a textbook suitable for use in Grade 11."

"Whereas we feel that the examinations in June should be as fair to the child as possible, and that the chief responsibility to have the subjects combined as has been the custom in Grade 8, be resolved that separate papers be prepared for each subject of Grade 8."

President J. M. Wheatley briefly reviewed the organization and campaign work at the last provincial election. He regretted that he did not select their candidate, Ben Simpson, but was pleased at the strong showing made, and expressed confidence of success at the next election.

Poultry Man Speaks
J. Hoffmann, of the provincial poultry pool, gave a few words of advice to the meeting in the matter of marketing their poultry, especially turkeys. He urged that they give the poultry pool their whole effort in this matter.

Countess News
COUNTRESS, Aug. 11.—Chas. Beth and Sam Henderson, who are now at home in the north country, motor to Countess Sunday, and were calling on old friends.

Mr. Frank Chamberlain, and Marie Chamberlain, returned Sunday from a motor trip to Camrose and Edmonton, where they were visiting Mr. Martin and two children, of Chasidie, are visiting at the Snake house. Mrs. Martin is Mrs. Sapsa's mother.

A number of Countessites enjoyed a picnic at the Holman place Sunday. Mr. Goff, of Rosemary, was calling in to district Tuesday.

C. Wilson, of Calgary, was called at the Snake house on Monday. The little seed inspector was the neighborhood last week.

Little Sapsa had the misfortune to lose his Shetland pony. The animal suddenly dropped dead.

Who is the girl who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Stringer, has been ill.

Miss Kirk, of Calgary, is visiting in the Kist. Mrs. Thompson, of the Kist, was called on Tuesday evening at the hall.

Mungarians in Bank
More than 20,000 Hungarians have settled in British Columbia, according to Albert de Haydon, central general agent. More than 7,000 Hungarians have been distributed throughout Canada this year.

Duchess News

Princess and Premier Park Through Bassano

The train conveying the Prince of Wales and Premier Baldwin party passed through Bassano, Wednesday morning about 7.30. The boys and a few of the townpeople were at the station to greet the distinguished visitors, but they did not appear.

Duchess, Aug. 11.—A monthly meeting of the Duchess W. Y. G. was held Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. As it was the last time Mrs. Butler would be with us, a handkerchief shower was given her, after which the hostesses, Mrs. Green and Mrs. Dowling, served delicious refreshments. We are very sorry to lose Mrs. Butler, but our loss will be Bassano's gain.

Inspector McDonald was here on the 10th to visit the creamery, and was very much pleased, and gave an excellent report of the place. During the week Mr. Brodie received 119 patron's milk, he received 4,374 pounds of cream, with 1,230 pounds of butter (fat), 1,980 pounds of butter. The week ending July 22nd was his best week, having made 2,343 pounds of butter in four days.

Miss Anna Hole, of Brooks, spent the week-end with her parents here. J. Miller, of Edmonton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Halley.

Mrs. Evans, of Ottawa, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Purcell.

Mr. and Mrs. Egan returned Tuesday from Banff where they spent their holiday. The speaker said that during his brief reign has been executed during the whole Liberal regime.

The speaker mentioned the immigration situation, and stated the need of getting the right kind of settlers, those of the agricultural type, ambitious and willing to work and make homes for themselves in the province. He said that the work of ex-premier Herbert Greenfield, Alberta's immigration representative in London, was that of settling this most suitable type of immigrants. Those that had already been sent to the province, Mr. Greenfield's office had been successfully placed in the province.

The Former in Politics
In dealing with the political situation in Alberta the attorney general said that the Farmer government was the result of a general spread of knowledge, and with it a certain independence of thought and the desire to be free from class domination. "And so," said Mr. Lymburn, "the farmer went into politics." The speaker said that the Farmer government had been accused of class legislation, but this was unjust, as the Farmer government had been co-operated with all classes and legislative for the good of the province as a whole.

Mr. Lymburn spoke for more than an hour to an interested audience composed of the members of the Farmers' Union, and the speaker was preceded by a ten-minute address from J. C. Buckley, M. L. A. for Glenora, who also addressed the convention in the afternoon.

Bearcats Lose
To Queenstown
Southern Team Even Series By Winning Second Game

The Queenstown team defeated the Bassano team 11-3 in a game played at Queenstown last Sunday. Queenstown started the round of the bases by going five runs in the second inning when Harry Thompson, A. Lawther, J. Lawther, and Hilder hit safely.

Bassano got their two runs in the eighth inning when Marquardt, Simpson, and Lefebvre singled.

This was the second game played with Queenstown, the first game being staged in Bassano when the Bearcats won.

GOLF COURSE GETTING THIMMED UP FOR PLAY
The fairway of the golf course is now being cut. This is the second cutting for the season. The growth is long and thick, and the year grass is the worst that has ever been seen here.

The greens are in pretty fair shape having been weeded a couple of weeks ago.

The mowmen are still troublesome, but it is expected they will disappear in a few days.

New Fords Are Now Being Tested Out

Dearbourn, Neb.—New Fords have appeared on the streets of Dearbourn driven by test drivers from the Dearbourn laboratories.

Four new models of the new car of the town "on the fly." They appeared to be equipped with four-wheel brakes, and radiators resembling those which Henry Ford used on his Lincoln cars.

The best guess of observers based on the appearance of the rear end of the Lincoln was that the cars were equipped with a rear end instead of a clutch shift.

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GEM THEATRE PROGRAM FRIDAY AND SATURDAY THIS WEEK

"The Runaway Express"
A Smashing Drama of the Rails

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NEXT WEEK

Wallace Berry in
"Casey At The Bat"



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 Second—"Me too, she tries so hard to be feminine."

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PREMIUM PEA MEAL HAMS; DOMINION SIDE BACON
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Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company did on the 27th day of July, A.D. 1927, deposit in the Calgary Land Titles Office as No. R.Y. 1157, plan, profile and book of reference containing, showing a portion of proposed branch line from Castle Southerly, from a point in Section five (5) in Township Nineteen (19) and range fifteen (15) West of the Fourth to the South limit of the North-East quarter of Section nineteen (19) in Township fifteen (15) and Range fifteen (15) West of the Fourth Meridian in the Province of Alberta. Located between A.L.S. Mile 9 to Mile 16, as located A.L.S. Mile 30 to Mile 23.59. DATED at Winnipeg, this second day of August, 1927.

P. McPHERSON,
 Right of Way & Tax Agent

Notice

TAKE NOTICE that under the provisions of Section 351, of the Statutes of Canada, 1919, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company intends to apply to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, after the expiration of four weeks from the date of the first publication of this notice for authority to construct, maintain and operate a branch line from Mile 4.33 to the Rosemary Northern Branch through Sections 22, 21, 6, 1, 2, 11, 10, 15, and 16, Townships 21 and 22, Ranges 15 and 16, West of the Fourth Meridian, Mile 0 to Mile 6, in the Province of Alberta, as shown on plan, profile and book reference combined, deposited in the Calgary Land Titles Office on the 19th day of July, A.D. 1927, as No. 1157 R.Y., notice of which deposit is also hereby given in pursuance of the said section.

DATED at Winnipeg, this 22nd day of July, A.D. 1927.

P. McPHERSON,
 Right of Way & Tax Agent
 Canadian Pacific Railway Company

FIFTY DOZEN GEM JARS
 All Sizes - Fifty Cents a Dozen
STRUTHERS' FURNITURE STORE

LOST—Would the finder of the army kit bag containing man's clothing and sundries kindly leave same at the Bassano Mail Office, going from Bon Ton cuto to 2nd Lathom.

STOLEN—One large bear, or other Miller's quarter, west of Glenora school. It was Burrows, Countess

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CANADA HEADS WORLD'S POULTRY CONGRESS

F. C. Elford of Ottawa was elected president of the World's Poultry Congress at Ottawa for 1928 at the session of the International gathering which closed at Ottawa on Thursday, succeeding Prof. Edward Brown of London, England, who has held this office for the past year.

THE BASSANO MAIL

Wallace J. Smith
 Editor and Publisher

Subscription \$2.00 a year, \$1.50 to the United States

Everything goes faster nowadays, including the pay check.

The mail shall inherit the earth, but if they stay that way they won't keep it very long.

People used to go to church, but now they only expect to be carried there by six gentlemen with barred heads.

H. W. Wood says that Alberta will take year after a bumper harvest. That's what we have been expecting for some time.

Big buffalo coats were presented to the two princes and premier Baldwin on their arrival in Calgary. It is to be hoped that a distinguished visitor will now be able to keep warm during their stay in Alberta.

THE GEM RAILWAY

Now that the Rosemary Northern branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway is being built, the people of Gem Colony are about to realize the benefits of this long promised road.

Many of them settled in the colony years ago with the belief that in a short time they would have a "shipping point" within a few miles from which they could market their produce. The absence of this facility and the necessity of making long hauls has been a deterrent to the progress of the district.

For years the coming of the railway has been looked forward to with great expectation, and it is now that the colony called it the "Gem railway," and each year brought hopes that it would be built.

Now that it has been decided to be realized it will mean another step forward in the progress and prosperity of the community.

THE PASSING OF PARTY GOVERNMENT

When the Hon. J. F. Lyburn said that the ideal form of provincial government was a legislative body composed of men having no party ties, representing a board of directors, he voiced a belief that is becoming more common among the thinking men of the province.

Party politics have no place in the election of a municipal or town council. The members of these bodies are elected upon their personal merit or popularity. There is no party cry or party creed. Each member is a free and independent thinker, free from party influence.

The same type of government should manage the business affairs of the province. The work of the provincial government differs from the work of the municipal government in scope and degree, but there is no phase in the work of provincial management that could not be more efficiently handled by a body of non-party legislators than by party manipulation.

A non-party government is an ideal that may never be realized, but there is a distinct leaning in that direction, and one day it may come.

ONLY HALF-T N. WOMEN ELECTORS BY BALLOT

If Canada should have a statement of the party played by women in politics one wonders how it would compare with the survey of the American situation, which has just been issued at Washington.

Apparently the electorate of the United States is about equally divided, 48 per cent women and 52 per cent men, although the statisticians maintain that while from 60 to 70 per cent of the eligible male voters record ballots, only 25 to 35 per cent of the women take advantage of their suffrage privilege. It may be argued that so far, no great moral lesson has been presented to the women on which they would be wiser and in which they would most likely be interested for the prohibition amendment was enacted before the national equal suffrage amendment was placed on the statute books.

So far there has been no indication of sex slavery in elections, while women certainly have not yet obtained their share of the spoils of office. Of the seven women elected to the House of Representatives five filled seats previously held by their husbands. Two women have been elected as governors of states, while among large cities Seattle boasts of having had a woman mayor.

A common printer discovered electricity with two sticks and a silk handkerchief, probably having borrowed the latter.

KITTY OF COLERAINE

(Edward Young)

An beautiful Kitty one morning was tripping

With a pitcher of milk from the fair of Coleraine.

When she saw me she stumbled, the pitcher it tumbled,

And all the sweet, butter-milk watered the plain.

O, what shall I do now, 'twas looking at you now,

But, sure, such a pitcher I'll never meet again.

'Twas the pride of my dairy, O, Barney McLean,

You're sent as a plague to the girls of Coleraine.

I sat down beside her and gently did chide her,

That such a misfortune should give her such pain.

A kiss then I gave her,—before I did leave her—

She vowed for such pleasure she'd break it again.

'Twas my making season, I can't tell the reason,

Misfortune will never come single,—that's plain.

For, very soon after poor Kitty's disaster,

The devil a pitcher was whole in Coleraine.

The rich man's son inherits lands,

And piles of brick and stone and gold;

And he inherits soft white hands,

And tender flesh that fears the cold.

Nor dars to wear a garment old,

A heritage, it seems to me,
 One scarce would wish to hold in fee.
 —James Russell Lowell

HORSES FOR SOVIET SHIPPED EAST

Completing the first load, a train left Alberta during the past week for Quebec carrying 400 head of horses purchased in the province by officials of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Included in this cargo from Quebec will also be 50 head, previously shipped east, bringing the total number of horses purchased by the Russian government in Alberta during the past month up to 450. It is expected that buying for further shipments will again commence at points in the south and southeast of the province on August 5.

Speaking of these short skirts—it's not the initial length, it's the up-sweep.

He—"Do you love me?"

She—"Of course." Why should I make you an exception?"

PREPARING FOR VISIT OF PRINCES AND PREMIER

The Prince of Wales and his brother Prince George plan to spend five days at the former's ranch house at High River, It is announced from Ottawa. The Prince expects to leave Calgary for the ranch on August 16. Premier Baldwin and his party, including on that time to High River and returning to Calgary for a civic reception which is being tendered them on August 17.

Address of welcome to the Prince of Wales will be delivered by Hon. R. C. Field, acting premier of the province, and Mayor P. R. Owens of Calgary. It is planned that these addresses and the reply of Premier Baldwin will be broadcasted through radio station CPAC at Calgary and CICA at Edmonton.

OLD COUNTRY SETTLERS

EDMONTON.—T. O. P. Harzer, manager of the Canada Colonization Association, states that this organization has placed, 600 Old Country families in the prairie provinces this year, and that 500 other families will arrive before the end of the year.



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A BOULDER WORTH \$1,500

NORTH BAY, Ontario—Merrill Beasant, when clearing his farm in Caldwell township, south of Vernon, on the Canadian Pacific line, found a 300 pound boulder which was half native silver and worth about \$1,500. The discovery has aroused considerable interest among mining men in Cobalt and elsewhere who are arriving in numbers.

ALBERTA EXHIBITION WIN AT REGINA FAIR

Alberta exhibitors carried off a number of high awards at Regina fair during the past week, in both grain and livestock classes. Robert Cochran of Grande Prairie won first in a big exhibit of timothy seed and R. A. Meeks, of Manville, took first in garden corn. O. A. Bogg of Daymond carried off a number of ribbons with his Harford herd and Geo. R. Ball and Son of Strathcona won a number of classes of Oxford sheep and Tamworth swine.

SCHOLARSHIPS TO BE OFFERED BY DALZIEL'S

Young people with limited means who are ambitious to improve their position in life by taking a business course, are to be given a rare opportunity to do so by the Dalziel Business College, which is offering 20 scholarships, 10 at 25 per cent less than the usual fee and 10 of half fee. These scholarships are to be won in open competition, the entrance fee of which is 50 cents. Entering competitors does not obligate the candidate to take the business course but all who win the scholarships must be ready to enter the college not later than September 1, 1927.

A short test paper will be submitted to each candidate covering questions of an elementary nature, which the management says every reader should be able to answer. The examinations will be conducted at the Dalziel Business College, Calgary, and the decision of the principal shall be deemed final. The closing date for entries is August 16, and the examination will be conducted every day from August 16 to August 21 inclusive.

Ontario Grain Pool Launched

WINNIPEG, Aug. 10.—J. O. Daley, grain accountant of the Manitoba Cooperative Wheat Producers, Ltd., returned Monday from Toronto where he acted in the organization of the Ontario Grain Pool. Mr. Daley's work was the formation of a grain accounting system for the new body.

During his stay in Toronto the membership in the newly formed Pool jumped from 7500 to approximately 8,000, with new contracts coming in every day. The farmers of Ontario expressed enthusiasm with the formation of their Pool and there was every indication that the organization would have a sound and steady growth, Mr. Daley said.

Only certain sections of the province had as yet been organized by the Pool, but there was a strong demand from outside areas for Pool representation also.

The first deliveries of Pool grain by members were made recently and the crop movement should be well under way in the next 10 days.

"Everything points to a bumper Pool this year in the eastern provinces," Mr. Daley declared. The Pool is organized on a five-year contract basis for the handling of wheat, barley, and oats.

Local News

Mrs. Lee is spending a vacation in Banff.

Lloyd Roach is away on his vacation.

Edie Stiles was down from Huskar for a few days this week.

E. J. Bell, of Huskar, was in Bassano on business last Monday.

Bruce Bell spent Sunday with his parents in Huskar.

Irving Young and Marion Haynes spent the weekend in Banff.

W. Dinsley was in from Countess on Thursday.

C. W. Hayes is now in charge of the local Otisville elevator.

Miss Bonita Johnston is visiting in Huskar with Miss Margaret Bell.

Mrs. Fisher, of Okotoks, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McKinnon are spending the week at Banff.

Mrs. Roy Smith spent the weekend at the A. F. MacCallum home in Huskar.

Harry Ford was out to Huskar on an accounting business trip last Tuesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ashcroft, of Medicine Hat, are visiting with their daughter Mrs. E. P. Currie.

Mrs. W. J. Blankenship has returned from the east where she has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. R. Wolf, and daughters, of Gasoline, Manitoba, are visiting at the Wolf home.

A. J. Culbertson and Mrs. J. B. H. Culbertson were in from Grants on Wednesday.

Miss P. White has gone for a short visit to the Harsham farm at Majorville.

Ben Gray and son Joey were in Bassano on Tuesday for machinery repairs.

Mrs. B. T. Gray, of Gern, is visiting at the E. F. Mauger farm.

R. C. Corvino will be held in Bassano next Sunday, Aug. 14th, at 11.30 a.m.

Jacky Bulmer and Fred Holmes are visiting in Calgary this week with Stuart Murdoch.

Miss Lillian Hayes returned home Monday after spending her vacation in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Flanagan and little daughter Margaret, and Miss Isabel Flanagan, motored to Coultis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Redmond returned home Sunday afternoon after spending two weeks' vacation at Bentley and Gull Lake.

Miss H. Willoughby, of Calgary, has joined the nursing staff of the Bassano Hospital, filling the vacancy left by Miss Fleming.

Dr. White, officer of the presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, was a visitor in Bassano Wednesday.

Mr. Campbell, of the Colonial Loan and Investment Co., Toronto, was in town this week looking over the company's properties which are in charge of H. W. Ford.

Farmers are preparing to harvest their wheat. The grain is beginning to ripen. No frost is reported yet although it was very near the freezing point Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wheatley, of Chasco, were visitors in Bassano on Saturday. Mr. Wheatley attended the convention of the Bow Valley Constituency U.F.A. Association, of which he is the president.

Clarence and Frances Boyce, of Dartford, Ontario, and Beaumont, Michigan, respectively, nephews of Inspector J. P. Boyce, are visiting with their uncle in Bassano. Mr. Boyce and his nephews travelled from the east by motor car.

Jas. Johnston made a trip to Banff Sunday morning to his good-bye to his sister and her husband and their family who are away on their way to New Zealand.

Johnston returned on the Monday morning train bringing back Mrs. Johnston and the twins, who have been staying with their grandmother Mrs. Cummer, in Calgary.

Wedding

GILBERT—BRANCH

Viola May Branch, of Alton, was united in marriage to Ralph Samuel Gilbert of Majorville by the Rev. P. H. B. Casaroff, at the Church of the Blessed Virgin, Bassano, on Wednesday evening, August 10th, in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gellay, parents of the groom.

NEW REGULATIONS FOR ANGLERS

The catch limit per day of cutthroat, rainbow, Loch Lomond and Dolly Varden trout has been reduced to twenty, according to new regulations for the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan. This limit applies also in the case of grayling and Rocky Mountain whitefish, while the limit for other fish is as follows: Lake trout, 10; perch or goldeyes, 25; pike or pickerel, 15; bass, 5. In the case of perch and goldeyes no one shall catch and retain more than 25 of either species, or of both species than will in the aggregate number more than 25, the same regulation applying to pike and pickerel.

THOUSANDS OF NEWCOMERS SETTLE ON LAND IN NORTHERN PART OF ALBERTA

Since January 1 last a total of 4079 new settlers registered in Edmonton and were absorbed in the district up to and including July 31. The figures for the first six months of 1927 were: January, 51; February, 68; March, 126; April, 116; May, 418; June, 728.

New immigrants, registering at the Immigration Hall, Edmonton, during July totalled 399, according to figures compiled by Immigration Agent E. E. Wilson. This figure is considerably lower than the corresponding month of 1926, when 540 registered.

Even with the drop, the July figures are in excess of the average for the month, which is scarcely over the 300 mark. The main reason for immigrants usually taper off toward the end of May the balance of the year is quiet, but this year the numbers have kept up very satisfactorily.

Homestead figures for July totalled 163 and soldier grants 16, according to figures compiled by the local Dominion lands office. In the corresponding month last year there were 163 homesteads and 11 soldier grants filed.

Settlements for the last week of the month just ended were 29 homesteads and 3 grants, while for the corresponding period last year 50 homesteads and no soldier grants were filed.

In June of this year, which was the highest June of any year since 1914, there were 187 homesteads and 10 soldier grants filed, while in June 1926 which had previously held the record for that month, there were 176 homesteads and 6 grants.

BEAVER TRAPPING BANNED IN NORTH

It has been announced by the provincial game branch that no trapping of beaver in Alberta north of township 49 will be permitted during the coming season and that the closed season for beaver which has been enforced in this area for the past 20 years will continue for coming fall and winter, as the beaver supply in the province has been steadily growing less. South of the line of township 49 permits will be issued as usual in cases where found desirable through damage to farm property by local colonies of beaver.

ALBERTA DEATH RATE LOW

Alberta has the third lowest death rate among the provinces of the Dominion according to the vital statistics for 1926. The rates by provinces are as follows: Saskatchewan, 7.4 per thousand; Manitoba 8.2; Alberta 8.5; British Columbia 9.6; Prince Edward Island 10.1; Ontario 11.4; Nova Scotia 11.9; New Brunswick 12.3; Quebec 14.5. The rate in Alberta, it is stated, is increased to some extent by the death of tubercular patients who come to this province for their health.

POLA PONIES

CALGARY—A thriving new industry in Southern Alberta, which is making progress and is full of promise, is that of the raising of polo ponies. Three ranches are engaged exclusively in this industry, and ranchers and farmers are coming to engage in it as a side line. About five carloads, or one hundred polo ponies leave southern Alberta annually for the United States.

Here and There

Air mail service between Winnipeg and Fargo, North Dakota, has been inaugurated and the first mail for Winnipeg from the United States arrived recently.

The Shorthorn bull, King of the Fairies, recently sold from the Canadian ranch of E. B. H. H. the Prince of Wales to a United States breeder, again won the greatest prize at the Calgary Exhibition.

Evidence of the renewal of interest in Old Country investors in Western Canada is shown by a number of recent transactions recorded at the Calgary Exhibition, including the proposed acquisition of three motion picture houses by means of British capital.

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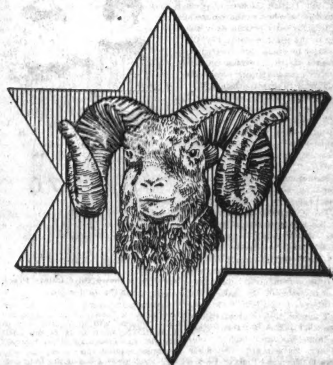
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KATYER SILK HOSE--New fall shades, hoggar, calico, crimson; just in. This is the very finest quality hose; price..... \$2.00	OVERALLS, COMBINATIONS, JIFFY-ALLS, PANTS, GLOVES, WORK SOCKS, BLANKETS, SPECIAL KHAKI PANTS..... \$1.95

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Apricots, green plume dried	5 lbs. \$1.40
Peaches, green plume dried	5 lbs. \$1.20
Pears, green plume dried	5 lbs. \$1.20
Prunes, green plume dried	5 lbs. 65c

Tomatoes choice heavy pack	2 1-2's, per case	\$3.70
Sugar B. C. 20 lbs.		\$1.55
Blue Ribbon Tea, per lb.		65c
Kelloggs Corn Flakes		10c
Pure Strawberry Jam, 4 lb.		62c
Pure Raspberry Jam, 4 lb.		62c
Pure Plum Jam, 4 lb.		55c

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GROCERIA and MEN'S WEAR
WHO LOWERED THE COST OF LIVING FOR THIS DISTRICT

Local News

Mrs. R. Leonard and daughter Freda left at Sunday afternoon to visit relatives in Saskatoon.

Born in the Bassano Hospital, on Thursday, August 4th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Parker, of Chancellor.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Horst, of Bassano, on Friday, August 5th, in the Bassano Hospital.

The crew had a visit from the Salvation Army Gospel wagon on Saturday evening.

Harry Koenig, of Hussar, was in Bassano on Wednesday for farm supplies.

Misses Emily and Anna Helliwell, of Medicine Hat, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Murphy.

M. Haynes is now employed as an assistant agent at the C. P. R. station.

A dance will be held in the curling rink hall on Labor Day, Sept. 5th, under the auspices of the Anglican vestry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stiles motored to Three Hills last Sunday, where they visited for a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McCaughy.

C. Fryberger was in from Gem on Thursday. He says that cutting will not be general out there for another ten days or more.

J. A. Tock, Fuller brush agent, returned from a selling trip as far east as Empress. He reports business good all along the line.

SAYS SOW THISTLE MUST BE DESTROYED

R. Renton, provincial weed inspector, was in Bassano last Friday on a tour of inspection, and on the lookout for weeds. He didn't have much difficulty in finding plenty of them. Mr. Renton stressed the importance of destroying the perennial sow thistle, a noxious weed, of the worst kind that has become a menace in some parts of the province.

Wedding

WHITEHEAD - SEARHOOKE

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. Herbert Whitehead, Wakepeace, Alberta, on Wednesday, August 3rd at 9 p. m., when Annie Maud Searhooke and Herbert Whitehead were united in marriage in the presence of a number of friends. Rev. A. O. Thomson, Pastor of Knox Church, Wakepeace, officiated. The bride looked very charming in a white silk dress in lais effect, beautifully beaded, her bridal veil was held in place by a lovely wreath of lilies of the valley and orange blossoms. She carried a lovely bouquet of pink roses and white carnations. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Jensen also of Wakepeace. They were led by two lovely little flower girls, Helen Whitehead and Lois Jensen, the former carrying the wedding ring. After the ceremony a pleasant time was spent at the wedding reception. The couple were the recipients of some lovely gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead will reside at Wakepeace.

The railways of Alberta have endorsed a by-law providing for civic support of a proposal for the establishment by British interests of a motion picture producing industry here, by a vote of 2:17 to 683. The city was thereby authorized to guarantee bonds of the concern to the extent of \$200,000 after \$500,000 had been raised by British motion picture distributors and exhibitors.

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The Development Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway in co-operation with Macdonald Agricultural College is conducting experiments on the use of plaster at Plaster Rock, N.B., to ascertain whether or not there are large deposits, has special value in connection with potato culture. Members of the staff of the college are supervising field tests on the farm.

The literary of the party of one hundred British newspaper men who will arrive at Quebec August 12, provides that during the month they are in Canada the Britishers will visit practically every corner of the Dominion and besides visiting every city of importance, have an opportunity of studying first-hand Canada's natural resources and investment opportunities. They will travel across Canada and back on Canadian Pacific lines.

More Bargains in Our Mid-Summer Sale :-

Children's Rompers and
Pants Rompers, price
95c, \$1.15, and \$1.35

Clearing Sale of Ladies'
White Canvas Shoes all
sizes, per pair \$1.75



Ladies' Silk Hose, all shades and sizes
price \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00

Ladies' Summer Vests, Cumfy Cut or Opera
Top, Moodies Peerless line from 35c up to \$1.25

See our new shipment of House Dresses
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Silk, price from \$1.25 to \$6.95

Men's Wear Department

YOUTHS' - BOYS' - MENS' Real Midsummer Savings

8 prs. Youths' Tennis Shoes, sizes 10 to 12 1-2	85c
Straw Hats, each	25c
Eye Shades, each	15c
Boys' plain blue shirts and blouses	65c
Men's Sailor Straw Hats, each	\$1.00
Men's White Duck Pants, per pair	\$1.95
Cotton Sox 5 prs. for	\$1.00
Work Shirts	\$1.00
Colored Soft Collars, 10c each, 3 for	25c
True-Knit Athletic Underwear, per suit	95c
True-Knit Athletic, No Buttons to Button	\$1.25

Bathing Suits

Plain Blue for the Boys and Girls, each	\$1.00
Warren Knit Pure Australian Wool	\$1.75, \$3.50, \$4.50

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Strawberries, Choice Quality, per tin	25c
Raspberries, Choice Quality, per tin	25c
Shelled Walnuts, 1-4's, Light Meat, per lb.	48c
Sardines in pure Olive Oil, per tin	15c
Chateau Cheese, spreads, per lb. pkg.	50c
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